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PATENT APPLICATION
Mo-6485/LeA 33,061

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)	
)	GROUP NO.: 1712
MICHAEL ZOBEL ET AL)	
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SERIAL NUMBER: 09/890,148)	EXAMINER: J. ROBERTSON
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FILED: AUGUST 27, 2001)	
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TITLE: POLYCARBONATE MOLDING)	
MATERIALS WITH ANTI-STATIC)	
PROPERTIES)	

REPLY BRIEF

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The present Reply Brief is submitted to rebut certain arguments raised by the Examiner in the Examiner's Answer dated November 29, 2004.

The Examiner states in his Answer at page 2 that the Appellants' brief:

...does not contain a statement identifying the related appeals and interferences which will directly affect or be directly affected by or have a bearing on the decision in the pending appeal is contained in the brief.

Appellants respectfully disagree and direct the Board's attention to page 2 of their Appeal Brief, Section II which contains that statement.

Appellants wish to correct their statement that an amendment after final rejection was filed to reflect that a request for reconsideration was filed. Although captioned as a Response under §1.116, the response did not cancel any claims or amend the claims as to form and thus could be considered not to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.116.

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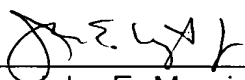
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January 27, 2005

Date

For the reasons discussed at length in their Appeal Brief, Appellants maintain their position that the Examiner's rejections are improper. Appellants respectfully request that these rejections be reversed and that Claims 2, 3, 5, 7-9 12 and 13 be allowed.

Respectfully submitted,

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